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PGPD INVESTIGATING CITY OF SEAT PLEASANT POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING

Seat Pleasant, MD – Update January 18, 2019: The involved officer is being identified as Private First-Class John O'Connor. He is an 18-year law enforcement veteran and is assigned to the Special Operations Division, Traffic Enforcement Unit of the Seat Pleasant Police Department. Private First-Class John O'Connor is now on administrative leave pending the outcome of the investigation which is standard procedure.

Prince George's County Police Criminal Investigations Division along with the Special Investigation Response Team of the PGPD Internal Affairs Division are investigating the matter. Additionally, the Prince George's County State's Attorney's Office reviews all officer-involved shootings. There are no further updates currently.

If you have information in this case, please call our Internal Affairs Division at 301-856-2660 or if you wish to remain anonymous, please call Prince George's County Crime Solvers at 1-866-411-TIPS (8477), or go online at www.pgcrimesolvers.com, or use the "P3 Tips" mobile app (search "P3 Tips" in the Apple Store or Google Play to download the app onto your mobile device.)

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